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Mr. Manuel E. Flores, notary public and translator of Spanish and English, has moved his office to the "Bronson Block" Room No. 11, where he will be pleased to meet his friends and patrons. Mr. Flores makes a specialty of the translation of legal documents.

AN ANCIENT AZTEC CITY

Buried Beneath the Soil
Of El Paso

TREASURE VAULT FOUND

Which Is Supposed To Contain Vast Stores Of Gold And Manuscripts Of the Extinct Race That Once Inhabited Mexico.—Mundy's Addition Is the Site Of A Castle Built Of White Marble Which Was the Abode Of Priests.

Is El Paso built above the ruins of a buried city? Is the question now being asked, and if the word of Dr. Berson, a learned archeologist, is to be taken as conclusive the answer should be in the affirmative.

That eminent scientist asserts with positive assurance that where the present flourishing and modern metropolis of the southwest, El Paso, now stands was, centuries ago, the site of a magnificent city of castles and palaces whose walls were of solid masonry and polished marble.

Before Cortez set foot on the soil of Mexico, before the Emperor Montezuma was tortured by the cruel Spaniards into disclosing the hiding place of his gold, and before the unhappy Aztec was driven to the mountains by his merciless conquerors and his beautiful palaces and mines of fabulous richness confiscated, Dr. Berson claims that a beautiful Aztec castle stood at this point on the banks of the Rio Grande and that it was buried beneath the present surface of the earth by a volcanic eruption of old Mount Franklin.

A LEARNED MAN.

Dr. Berson has spent the best years of his life in investigating the ruins of Mexico and collecting relics of vast importance to science.

His researches in Diaz's domains have been under the auspices of the government and he has had complete access to the archives where the most ancient records of that historic country are stored. Among the musty and decaying records he found an old parchment containing an account of a splendid castle, surrounded by a thriving city, that once stood upon the left bank of the Rio Grande. The castle was used as a temple by Aztec priests and within its walls vast treasures were stored and valuable records kept.

Realizing immediately the benefit science would derive could he but locate the castle or its ruins and procure some of the relics of the ancient and extinct inhabitants of the land, Dr. Berson sought further among the old records until he ran across a chart that showed him the exact location of the spot where the castle once stood.

He became enthused with the magnitude of his discovery and in an audience with President Diaz persuaded him to authorize a search for the ruins and share the expense of the work. The president being a patron of the arts and sciences and a champion of literature, as well as a scholar and gentleman, readily agreed to assist the learned explorer financially.

Dr. Berson accordingly set out to discover the lost city and unearth the valuable records of the buried castle. Unfortunately he started at the mouth of the river and investigated the Mexican shore, that in his opinion being the "left" bank. After months of fruitless search it occurred to him that the left bank meant the bank at the left hand side of a man when he faces down stream.

THE SPOT LOCATED.

After that things were easy and results were astonishing. By means of his chart the doctor readily located the exact spot where the ancient Aztec castle stood and now stands with its highest point covered by sand and fragments of volcanic rock.

The chart showed that the castle stood less than three quarters of a mile distant from where the El Paso custom house now stands. The castle, says the doctor, is buried beneath the soil of E. M. Mundy's addition within the corporate limits of the city.

When Dr. Berson located the spot

he was for a time wild with joy. He did not stop to consider that the land thereabout belonged to Americans who were in the habit of selling the soil at so much per front foot, and would likely permit no one to dig there or even to excavate buried cities. In the excess of his joy he thought of nothing but the magnitude of his discovery and lost no time in commencing to shovel dirt.

THE RUINS UNEARTHED.

An excavation near the brow of a small hill east of the S. P. track midway between the foundry and water tank yielded a valuable reward for the scientist's labors. The hole was about fifteen feet in circumference and at a depth of eight feet a wall of solid masonry, composed of huge square stones cemented together, was found. It seemed to be the covering of a vault or corner of a building. This vault was not opened but a number of skulls were found beside it and brought to light.

A peculiarly carved stone was also discovered with three prongs pointing in as many directions. "These," said the doctor, "indicate the directions of the walls."

After discovering the solid wall Dr. Berson was more than ever convinced that his researches and years of study had at last been rewarded.

THE WORK STOPPED.

About this time J. J. Stewart, Mr. Mundy's manager, discovered that Mundy's addition was being excavated. He considered it his duty to stop the work and did so. Dr. Berson took Mr. Stewart to the hole he had dug and explained to him his plans. He said he was sure that if the solid wall was followed up and the dirt removed a door would be found. That he was positive that the vault contained both vast stores of treasure as well as valuable ancient manuscripts. The scientist cared not for the riches but begged to be permitted to proceed so that the treasured manuscripts descriptive of an extinct race, might be recovered.

Mr. Stewart told the scientist that he would have to ask Mr. Mundy at the City of Mexico for permission to dig further. The scientist took the address and immediately wrote a letter to the owner of the property. He referred to President Diaz as to the object of his researches and courteously requested to be allowed to go on with his work in the interest of science. The reply to the letter has not yet been received.

Dr. Berson is described by Mr. Stewart as a man of vast learning. His appearance would indicate that he is a Jew. He has been a teacher in one of the foremost colleges in Mexico and has devoted his life to the study of extinct races and their languages and sign writings.

HISTORIC STONE FOUND.

Some years ago he discovered a large stone in Mexico that was covered with hieroglyphics. These he deciphered and found the records contained thereon to be of immense historic value. President Diaz caused the stone to be removed to the City of Mexico at a cost of \$12,000.

The doctor has had a force of men numbering twenty-five or thirty working under him and making excavations according to his directions for many months. A HERALD reporter visited the spot yesterday afternoon where the scientist made his excavations. They were found just as described. One opening had been made high up on the hillside and it was from this one that the key-stone of the building had been taken. The other opening was near the S. P. track and about ten feet deep. It was here that the solid stone masonry is located which is supposed to be the covering of the treasure vault and which will be opened as soon as Mr. Mundy's permission is obtained.

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Notice.

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(Signed) H. G. ROSS, Sec'y.

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TRENTON PRISON PROBLEM.

The Result of a Visit of Mrs. Francis, Christian Scientist.

The state prison authorities at Trenton, N. J., have to decide an interesting question that has arisen through a visit to the institution recently by Mrs. Francis of Washington, who is a disciple of Christian Science. The problem to be solved is where Christian Science begins as a religious faith and ends as a form of medical practice. There are in the prison many persons sentenced in the District of Columbia. While they were in jail there some of them were converted to Christian Science by Mrs. Francis. The other day she applied at the prison for permission to visit and talk to her converts in furtherance of her work. She was referred to Dr. Brewer, the assistant physician of the institution, who told her that the New Jersey laws were strict against the practicing of medicine or any form of cure unless the practitioner had a diploma from a reputable school or college of medicine. The state would in no way interfere with her religious work, but she must be careful not to violate the law.

The doctor said he had no knowledge of the new faith and that Mrs. Francis must herself determine where medical practice ended and religious teaching began. Mrs. Francis promised to keep within the law and was then permitted to converse with the prisoners whom she named. Before leaving she had a long talk with Dr. Brewer and endeavored to convert him to the new faith, but the doctor was too strongly inclined in favor of the allopathic system and his own church to believe that "there is nothing so material about disease as to prevent its cure by a belief that it does not exist."

Dr. Brewer said that one of Mrs. Francis' converts was in the hospital recently suffering from asthma. He sent for Dr. Brewer, who, knowing of the man's belief, told him that, according to Christian Science, there was nothing the matter with him; that he had evidently forgotten the first principles of his new religious belief and should be back in his cell. The prisoner said he agreed with the doctor and returned to his cell. The next day, however, he sent for the physician and told him that there was something wrong with the science, as it had failed to help him. He asked for medicine, which soon relieved his trouble.—New York Sun.

A Match For Bismarck.

Pouhler-Quartier, a hard headed Norman, was appointed by the French government to negotiate with Bismarck the terms of the indemnity after the Franco-German war. The chancellor received his visitor with great ceremony and gave him an excellent dinner, followed by deep potations. They drank Rhenish wine and French wine, and the old Norman showed no sign of weakening on the indemnity. Then they drank "Bismarck," a tremendous mixture of champagne and stout, and still the Norman head was clear and obstinate.

Next morning at 5 o'clock Bismarck in full uniform burst into his visitor's bedroom and threatened if his terms were not agreed to the German armies would resume hostilities at once. The old Norman in his nightcap sat up in bed, as cool as ever, and vigorously refused to yield. Then the chancellor broke into a hurricane of mirth, seized the old gentleman by both hands, wrung them warmly and owned himself beaten. For the first time he had met a diplomatist who was his match in will and courage.

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